



American Junior Year

Academic Calendar – Extended Fall Semester 2017-18

Sunday, September 3	Students depart from the U.S.
Monday, September 4	Students arrive in Germany. (AJY staff will meet students at the Frankfurt airport or at Heidelberg train station)
Monday, September 4 – Friday, September 29	Orientation / Preliminary Course.
Monday, October 2	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – written.
Thursday, October 5	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – oral.
Thursday, October 5, late afternoon – Thursday, October 12	Fall break.
Friday, October 13, 9 a.m.	Academic advising (mandatory).
Monday, October 16	First day of classes at Universität Heidelberg.
Saturday, December 23 – Sunday, January 7, 2018	Holiday break (students keep their rooms the entire semester, including the break).
Monday, January 8	Classes resume.
Saturday, February 10	Last day of classes at Universität Heidelberg (extended fall students might be able to make arrangements to take early exams, so that they can leave as early as Wednesday, February 7, 2018).
Saturday, February 10	Last day of the AJY extended fall semester. Deadline for checking out of rooms.